

Free Knitting Pattern Lion Brand® Vanna's Choice® - Vanna's Choice® Baby City Mouse Toy Pattern Number: 80766AD



This super cute critter is one fast and easy knit amigurumi!

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SKILL LEVEL: Easy

SIZE: One Size About 9 in. (23 cm)

CORRECTIONS: None

MATERIALS

- 860-125 Lion Brand Vanna's Choice® Yarn: Taupe
 1 Ball (A)
- 840-132 Lion Brand Vanna's Choice Baby: Goldfish
 1 Ball (B)
- Lion Brand Double-Pointed Needles Size 5
- Lion Brand Stitch Markers
- Large-Eyed Blunt Needles
- Additional Materials
 Fiberfill stuffing
 Small amounts of black and white yarn

GAUGE:

EXACT GAUGE IS NOT ESSENTIAL FOR THIS PROJECT. BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR GAUGE. When you match the gauge in a pattern, your project will be the size specified in the pattern and the materials specified in the pattern will be sufficient. If it takes you less stitches and rows to make a 4 in. [10 cm] square, try using a smaller size hook or needles; if more stitches and rows, try a larger size hook or needles.

MOUSE

BODY

With A, cast on 54 sts. Divide sts onto 3 needles and join, being careful not to twist. Place marker for beg of rnd.

Rnd 1: Knit.

Rnd 2: K into front and then back of next st (inc made), k25, inc in next st, place marker, inc in next st, k25, inc in next st – 58 sts. Rnd 3: Inc in first st, k to 1 st before marker, inc in next st, slip marker, inc in next st, k to 1 st before end of rnd marker, inc in this st - 62 sts. Rnd 4: Rep Rnd 3 – 66 sts. Rnds 5-9: Knit. **Rnd 10:** *K2tog, k to 2 sts before marker, k2tog, slip marker, k2tog, k to 2 sts before end of rnd marker, k2tog - 62 sts. Rnds 11-13: Knit. Rnd 14: Rep Rnd 10 - 58 sts. Rnds 15-17: Knit. Rnd 18: Rep Rnd 10 - 54 sts. Rnds 19 and 20: Knit. Rnds 21 - 32: Rep Rnds 18-20 – 38 sts at end of Rnd 32. Rnd 33: Rep Rnd 10 – 34 sts. Rnd 34: Knit. Rnds 35-42: Rep Rnds 33 and 34 – 18 sts at end of Rnd 42. Rnd 43: * K2tog, k5, k2tog, rep from * around –14 sts. Rnd 44: * K2tog, k3, k2tog, rep from * around -10 sts. Rnd 45: * K2tog, k1, k2tog, rep from * around – 6 sts. Cut yarn, leaving a long end. Pull end through remaining sts, gather tightly tog and end off.

BASE

With A, cast on 3 sts. Work back and forth in rows on 2 needles.
Row 1: Purl.
Row 2: Inc in first st, k to last st, inc in last st – 5 sts.
Work in St st (k 1 row, p 1 row) until piece measures 5 1/2 in. (14 cm) from beg, end with a purl row.
Next Row: K2tog, k1, k2tog.
Next Row: Purl.
Bind off.

EARS (make 2)

With B, cast on 7 sts. **Row 1:** Purl. **Row 2:** K, inc 1 st at each end of row. Rep last 2 rows 3 times – 15 sts. Work even in St st (k on RS, p on WS) for 5 rows. **Next Row:** K2tog, k to last 2 sts, k2tog. **Next Row:** Purl. Rep last 2 rows 3 times. Bind off. **Border**

With A, and RS facing, pick up and k about 34 sts along rounded edge of Ear. Work 4 rows in St st. Bind off. Fold border over edge of Ear and sew in place.

I-CORD TAIL

With A, cast on 3 sts.

Knit one row, do not turn work. Slide stitches to other end of needle, pull yarn gently and knit all sts again. Continue in this manner until cord is 6 in. (15 cm) long. Cut yarn, leaving a tail. Thread tail into large-eyed blunt needle and sew Tail to side base of Mouse.

FINISHING

Stuff Body firmly, then sew Base into place. Sew Ears to top of Body. With black yarn, embroider French knot eyes. With blunt needle, pull strands of white yarn through Body just below eyes. for whiskers. Knot ends of whiskers and trim. Weave in ends.

ABBREVIATIONS / REFERENCES Click for explanation and illustration	
<pre>beg = begin(s)(ning)</pre>	<pre>dec = decreas(e)(s)(ing)</pre>
<pre>inc = increas(e)(s)(ing)</pre>	<u>k = knit</u>
k2tog = knit 2 together	<u>p = purl</u>
<pre>rep = repeat(s)(ing)</pre>	<u>st(s) = stitch(es)</u>

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*<u>Vanna's Choice</u>[®] (Article #860) is a 4-ply worsted-weight 100% acrylic yarn. • Solids in 3.5 oz/100g (170 yd/156 m) balls • Prints in 3 oz/85 g (145 yd/133 m) balls 100% acrylic



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